

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request that the foregoing amendments be made prior to examination of the present application.

Claims 6, 8, 12, and 18-25 are currently being amended to remove the multiple dependencies.

This amendment amends claims in this application. A detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application, irrespective of whether the claims remain under examination in the application, is presented, with an appropriate defined status identifier.

Applicants believe that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that a telephone interview would advance the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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